



TENNESSEE  
STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
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NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE 37243-03765

## **Application for Participation in the *Touching the Lives of Children* Program**

The Legislature has allocated funds for the continuance of the *Touching the Lives of Children* program. This special appropriation will provide direct grants to each system for the purchase of the materials and technical assistance to implement the program.

The purpose of this program will be to study the success of the *Touching the Lives of Children* early childhood material. This material is designed for use in the pre-kindergarten and kindergarten levels. Proper use of the material requires that *each* student receive a pre-test for placement in the materials and then have a one-on-one or small group lesson for thirty minutes twice a week.

Your agency will be required to administer the AGS assessment at the beginning of the program and at the end and provide that information to Child Wise. You will also be required to provide site information and an evaluation of the *Touching the Lives of Children* program to the Department of Education.

Your system may make application for funds to participate in the program. The total amount of the award is \$ 7,058.00. The attached application is due September 5, 2003. Return the application via e-mail, fax, or regular mail (must be postmarked by September 5, 2003).

If you have any questions, please contact Sandy Williamson at (615) 532-9512, e-mail [Sandra.Williamson@state.tn.us](mailto:Sandra.Williamson@state.tn.us) or fax (615)-532-4989.



## Application for *Touching the Lives of Children* Program 2003-2004

Name of School System \_\_\_\_\_

Director of Schools: \_\_\_\_\_

Address : \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person for TTLOC: \_\_\_\_\_

Address : \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

I. Briefly describe the plan for the use of these materials.

### II. Signature

Director of Schools: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**RETURN BY SEPTEMBER 5, 2003**

**III. Site information**

**Site 1:**

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person for TTLOC: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of classes at this site to use the materials \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level of Classrooms \_\_\_\_\_

Number of students at this site to participate in the program \_\_\_\_\_

**Site 2:**

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Address : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact person for TTLOC: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of classes at this site to use the materials \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level of Classrooms \_\_\_\_\_

Number of students at this site to participate in the program \_\_\_\_\_

**IV. Budget—Total amount of grant award--\$7058.00**

<b>Instructional Materials</b>	<b>\$4,105.00</b>
2 WINGS Libraries @ \$2,000 each plus S&H	
<b>Assessment Materials</b>	<b>578.00</b>
1 AGS kit @ \$350/ 1 screening easel @ \$ 151/ 1 set Student materials @ \$30 + S&H	
<b>Training and TA</b>	<b>2,025.00</b>
1 training day @ \$750 each/ 3 TA days @ \$425	
<b>Research</b>	<b><u>350.00</u></b>
	<b>\$7,058.00</b>

**RETURN BY SEPTEMBER 5th TO:**

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